







## Titusville Morning Herald.

Titusville, Friday, May 17, 1867.

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## New Advertisements.

City Ordinance—J. M. Angier, Mayor.  
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 Meeting of Aaron Chamberlain, No. 217, H. R. A. M.  
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## Varieties.

—Oil of 47 gravity sold on Pioneer Run yesterday at \$2.25 at the well.

—Cleveland is said for \$5,000 on account of a man drowned because of the washing away of a bridge.

—The shipments of petroleum over the Oil Creek Railroad from Titusville yesterday, reached 914 barrels.

—The bonds of the City Treasurer and City Collector were fixed at \$10,000 each instead of \$4,000, as printed yesterday.

—A lady took her little boy to church for the first time. Upon hearing the organ he was on his feet instantly. "Sit down," said the mother. "No," he shouted, "I want to see the money."

—Jo Coburn, the pugilist, has offered to fight Jim Elliott, the victor in the recent fight near Cleveland, Ohio, for \$1,000 a side, any time within a month. Elliott's friends say he will accept.

—The State of New York owes fifty millions, the county of New York seventy-five, and the city of New York forty more. Taxation is now at the rate of \$27.50 for every man, woman and child in that State.

—The cases of the delinquent breweries in Erie and Warren have been finally disposed of. Philip Lehart, of Warren, pays \$1,004.75 tax and \$1,000 penalty. The Fuesse brewery, of Erie, pays \$1,944.10 tax and \$1,700 penalty.

—We are requested to state that Justice Mowbray is absent from the city, or would have responded this morning to the communication signed by the city authorities. It is predicted that he will "pay his respects" to them when he returns.

—The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has decided that no deductions can be allowed for depreciation in the value of stocks, unless they are sold and a loss actually realized. The decision has especial reference to stockholders in various banks of Crawford county.

—Dr. Madden, the resident physician of the Buffalo Poor House, who was arrested for harboring up five dead bodies and trying to ship them to Ann Arbor, Mich., in March last, had his trial last week and was acquitted. The bodies not having been shipped out of the State he was not guilty in the eyes of the law.

—The New York Ledger for the 25th instant, which is already out, contains the second installment of "Norwood," Henry Ward Beecher's new story, which is enough to satisfy the world that his author will prove popular as novelist as he is a preacher. The last edition of the Ledger, containing the introductory chapters, amounted to over one million copies.

—The first telegraph copies of the Mobile riot did Congressmen Kelley great injustice. It was only in reply to cries of "pull him down," "put him out," &c., from excited rebels, that he vaulted the protection of Federal authority. The commanding officer requested Mr. Kelley to remain and speak the next day, promising the protection of the entire available force, but Mr. Kelley declined the offer.

—The New York Tribune, noticing the trial of Zeb. Burdick on suspicion of complicity in the Doyle murder, remarks that he (Burdick) has been engaged in ferreting out the mystery for the last three years. As the murder was committed only one year ago, it appears from this statement that it involved two years premeditation. The court ought to have had this evidence before Zeb was discharged.

—The Tidewater Journal reports a first class sensation at Tidewater, being a disturbance in which a wife appears who has two husbands, one of the husbands being able to reproduce by being the possessor of two wives. On Sunday morning the parties met at a hotel and had a very good specimen of a riot. Louis Roudsperg, Michael Conny and Johnny Hennegan, three of the belligerents, have been arrested for riotous conduct and committed to jail in default of bail.

## The Weekly Herald.

The subscription list of THE WEEKLY HERALD has increased two hundred copies during the last quarter, a substantial evidence of its growing popularity. The contents of the paper consist of editorial, correspondence, selected news and miscellany, the latest telegraphic reports, local and oil news and petroleum and domestic markets. We are not accustomed to boast of our professional enterprise, but we think the weekly edition of THE HERALD will compare favorably with any other paper in Western Pennsylvania. It is printed on a good quality of paper, in a clear-faced type, and contains more reading matter and fewer advertisements than any other newspaper in this Congressional District. The following are our subscription rates:

Single Copies, Two Dollars.

Three Copies for Five Dollars.

Nine copies for Fifteen Dollars, and an Extra Copy to the getter-up of the Club.

Fifteen Copies for Twenty Dollars, and an Extra Copy for one year to the individual sending the names and the funds.

Republican Postmasters are invited to act as agents.

## Governor Geary's Initiative as a Good Templar.

A very interesting event took place in Harrisburg, says the Telegraph on Monday evening, at Washington Lodge No. 1, Good Templars, namely: the initiation of Governor John W. Geary as a Templar. Extensive preparations had been made for the affair, Washington Lodge having issued invitations to the members of all the lodges in the city, as well as to lodges at a distance to be present. Delegations were present from lodges in Carlisle, Mechanicsburg, Middletown, Duncannon, Lancaster, Reading, Altoona and other localities. As the ceremonies at these initiation are private, we are not able to go into details, but we are permitted to write that Governor Geary's initiation was one of the most imposing and interesting that ever took place. The Telegraph adds:

"We may well congratulate the temperance men of the State, may we justly congratulate all who regard the safety of society with favor, on the noble stand which the subject of temperance by Governor Geary. He truly emulates the example of the fathers of the Commonwealth. Thirty years ago, it became the duty of a Pennsylvania legislator to recommend the passage of a law such as Governor Geary signed during the last session of the Legislature, for the regulation and judicious restriction of the liquor traffic. Not content with giving his official approval to the passage of the law, Governor Geary gave his personal influence to the same good cause, proving thereby the determination to do right for the sake of right. We are proud to acknowledge such a man as a leader."

See the advertisement of Boyd Farm Restaurant and News Room, which is offered for sale. We understand that the proprietor has a very advantageous offer to go West into Indiana, and for that reason, offers his institution for sale. It has been well conducted by Mr. Farnsworth, and we shall regret to lose him from the Creek.

## A Novel Project.

The Rev. Napoleon Mignault, pastor of St. Titus' church, founder of the Sisters of Charity, builder of the convent and other substantial edifices of the Roman Catholic faith in Titusville, executed a financial coup d'etat this morning for the purpose of liquidating the heavy indebtedness incurred by the Society in creating and sustaining these religious enterprises.

It is proposed to hold a monster Fair under the auspices of the church, fixing the price of admission tickets at one dollar each, and arranging a schedule of gifts, ranging in value from \$500 to \$1,000, each ticket entitling the owner to a gift; the number of tickets to be limited to 15,000; and the total value of the distributions to equal \$150,000. This will afford a clear profit of \$5,000, besides the revenues arising from the other transactions of the Fair.

Whatever may be said of the plan proposed, it is clearly within the statute, and emanating from such a source is not liable to the suspicions and objections which attach to the speculative operations of private parties. Last year the Legislature of Pennsylvania passed a bill, which Governor Geary approved, authorizing a special lottery on the plan of the "Crabapple Lottery," for the benefit of the "Gettysburg Asylum for Invalid Soldiers." It was the opinion of public men that the Institution could be built in no other way, and that the aid justified the means. Religious societies of every denomination have availed themselves of raffling in all its varied processes, from the grab-bag to the piano drawing, as a source of income, and the precedent was pretty effectually established in the great Sanitary Fairs held throughout the country during the war, for the benefit of our wounded and invalid soldiers.

The zeal and energy with which the Rev. N. Mignault has pursued his professional labors here, have been the subject of frequent and general comment, and apart from his clerical vocation his influence has been conspicuously and steadily exerted on the side of charity, temperance and morality. The object of his present enterprise is a worthy one. It is to relieve his society and congregation from a great pecuniary burden, by inducing those of the Catholic faith elsewhere, as well as all others who sympathize with these efforts, to contribute in the manner suggested for their benefit. Mr. Mignault proposes to send his tickets broadcast over the State through the channels of his own religious acquaintance, and as the project has the official approval of the Rev. John D. Condy, Administrator in this Diocese, it will speedily be brought to a successful termination.

We have personally no further interest or connection with the affair than arises from the desire to aid a worthy gentleman by expressing our sincere conviction of his ability to carry out this enterprise, and that no imposition whatever will thereby be practiced upon the public.

## Involuntary Bankruptcy.

In the provisions of the new Bankrupt Bill, so far as they effect voluntary applications, are, we think, pretty generally understood, but those which relate to creditors' power of proceeding to make their debtors bankrupt are not so well known. They are much more extensive than the provisions in former acts, which have been in force in this country, and they are important to be understood. The causes which will authorize a creditor to proceed against his debtor are as follows:

1. The voluntary departure of the debtor from the State, District, or Territory, or where he is an inhabitant, with intent to defraud his creditors.

2. Concealment by a debtor, to avoid the service of a legal process, in any action of debt or upon a promissory note.

3. Concealment or removal of property, to prevent its being attached, taken or sequestered on legal process.

4. The assignment, gift, sale, conveyance or transfer of estate, property, rights or credits, in any country or abroad, with intent to delay, defraud or hinder creditors.

5. Being arrested and held in custody under process of execution for a debt valid and provable under the Bankrupt law exceeding one hundred dollars, such process is not discharged by payment or by law within seven days.

6. Actual imprisonment by process in civil action, on demand exceeding one hundred dollars, founded on contract for more than seven days.

7. The payment, gift or transfer, sale or conveyance of property or money to any person in contemplation of bankruptcy, the party being bankrupt or insolvent at the time.

8. Giving a warrant to confess judgment in contemplation of bankruptcy.

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11. The fraudulent stoppage or extension by a banker, trader or merchant of payment of his commercial paper, not resumed within fourteen days.

Any person thus liable for the acts designated may be made a bankrupt within six months after their perpetration, on the petition of one or more of his creditors, the aggregate of whose debts amount to \$250. Nor is this all. The transaction which caused the bankruptcy is void, and the assigns may recover back property transferred or money paid by the bankrupt; provided, that the person receiving it had reasonable cause to believe that a fraud was intended, or that the debtor was insolvent. And furthermore, such person so implicated in the fraud, if a creditor, shall not be allowed to prove his debt against the bankrupt, and must lose it altogether. It will be seen that this act not only gives to the debtor who has been honest but unfortunate, the means of relieving himself from this burden, but it guarantees to the creditor a remedy against fraudulent practices; renders dispositions of property in favoritism and preference void, and punishes not only the party making such preference, but him who is to receive the benefit. Against involuntary bankruptcies, orders of arrest and imprisonment may be issued, and they may be either confirmed or made to give bail for their appearance. These regulations may effect business very much, and it is the duty of every observing transactions with others to make himself master of the directions of the law, so that he shall not render himself innocently liable to punishment.

The Fenian "General" Massey, who turned informer and testified against his fellow conspirators at the recent trials in England, appears to be an epitome of all kinds of meanness and small villainy. By his own account he began his public career as a deserter from the British army, served as a private in the Confederate army, rose to the rank of Colonel, and after the war became a commercial traveler. Not succeeding in this he engaged in the Fenian business, and was very successful in raising funds to carry out the invasion of Ireland. At his own suggestion he was sent over to Ireland, was arrested, swooned away for twelve and then turned informer. He owed his arrest to an associate, who was picked up at being put under his orders. Massey justified his own treachery by this history. It is evident, from his own story, that the only thing in which he and his associates were really in earnest was raising money—first as contributions from the Fenians in this country, and then as "blood" money from the Dublin Police.

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